UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

FREDERICK S. SCHWARTZ, individually and on behalf of all similarly situated persons,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., JAMES E. CAYNE, ALAN D. SCHWARTZ, and SAMUEL L. MOLINARO, JR.,

Defendants.

No. 08 Civ. 4972 (RWS) ECF Case

CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF DEFENDANT THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1(a), the undersigned counsel of record for defendant The Bear Stearns Companies Inc. hereby states that on May 30, 2008, a wholly-owned subsidiary of JPMorgan Chase & Co. merged with and into The Bear Stearns Companies Inc. ("Bear Stearns"), with Bear Stearns continuing as the surviving corporation and a subsidiary of JPMorgan Chase & Co. JPMorgan Chase & Co. is a publicly held corporation with no corporate parent. No publicly traded corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.

Dated: July 7, 2008 New York, New York

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Trevor J. Hill, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am not a party to this action, am over 18 years of age and am employed by Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10019.
- 2. On July 7, 2008, I served true copies of the foregoing NOTICES OF APPEARANCE and CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF DEFENDANT THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC. on the following:

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3. I made such service by personally enclosing true copies of the aforementioned documents in a properly addressed prepaid wrapper and depositing them into an official depository under the exclusive custody and care of the United States Postal Service in the State of New York.

Trevor J. Hill

Sworn to before me this 249 day of July, 2008

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